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DR. FRED NESS FOUNDERS DAY SPEAKER, APRIL 1



DR. NESS

Dr. Frederick W. Ness, president of the Association of American Colleges, will be the guest speaker for Founders Day programs on Friday, April 1. Dr. Ness will address an all-school student convocation in the morning and the Founders Day dinner guests in the evening.

Bridgewater will present Dr. Ness with the honorary degree, Doctor of Humanities, at the morning convocation.

Dr. Ness was president and professor of English at Fresno, (Cal.) State College before assuming his present position. His professional responsibilities have been many and varied. He is a member of the board of trustees of Moravian College, a member of the advisory committee on AID-University Relations of the Agency for International Development of the Department of State, a member of the Board of Directors of the Common Fund for Nonprofit Organizations, a member of the advisory board of ERIC Clearing House for Higher Education. From 1971-76 he was vice-chairman of the Board of the National Council of Independent Colleges and Universities.

Dr. Ness holds a B.A. from Dickinson College, an M.A. from the University of Cincinnati, and a Ph.D. from Yale University. He is the author of a number of books and articles in professional and popular journals and is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and other honorary scholarship societies. He has been awarded honorary degrees from a dozen colleges and universities.

The Association of American Colleges is a national organization of 700 member colleges of liberal arts and sciences. AAC commissions seek to communicate and stimulate ideas that promise to improve undergraduate education.

Founders Day at Bridgewater College is observed annually on the approximate date of the birth of the founder, the Rev. Daniel C. Flory. The purpose of this special observation is to recall

Dr. A. Blair Helman Commencement Speaker



DR. HELMAN

A. Blair Helman, president of Manchester College, will be Commencement speaker at Bridgewater May 29.

Dr. Helman is a magna cum laude graduate of McPherson College in McPherson, Kansas. He earned an M.A. from the University of Kansas and has been awarded the honorary Doctor of Divinity degree from McPherson and a Doctor of Laws degree from Juniata College. He holds membership in several national honorary societies including Phi Beta Kappa.

Dr. Helman has combined a career as a Church of the Brethren pastor, college teacher, and president. He held pastorates in Newton, Ottawa, and Wichita, Kansas, and taught at Ottawa University, the University of Kansas, and Friends University in Wichita. He has been president of Manchester since 1956 and has held a number of offices in the denomination and in organizations related to higher education. Dr. Helman served as moderator of the Church of the Brethren in 1975-76 and has also served as moderator of district conferences in Kansas and Indiana. He has served on the Commission on Religion in Higher Education of the Association of American Colleges, as a member of the Policy Board of the Department of Higher Education of the National Council of Churches, and on the Presidents' Advisory Committee of the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics, to name only a few of his many areas of responsibility.

A native of Pennsylvania, Dr. Helman is married to the former Patricia Ann Kennedy of Marshalltown, Iowa. The Helmans have two daughters, Harriet Ann and Patricia Dawn.

with appreciation the dedication of the leaders of the past. It is also an occasion honoring those members of the College giving clubs that provide significant annual support to the college.

INTERTERM STUDY-TOURS COVER THE EARTH

Bridgewater College's interterm continues to be as exciting in the variety and quality of courses offered as when it began in 1972. Students and faculty members rate it high on many counts — pleasant change of pace, closer faculty-student relationships, opportunities for first-hand learning, educationally valuable experiences.

Study-tours this year include:

- a trip to Columbia, South America, conducted by Professor Robert Houts. This group of 18 students visited the cities of Cartagena and Santa Marta, founded in the early 1500's, and studied Colonial life and architecture of the area. They also took boat trips into the interior to visit coffee and banana plantations, and trips by bus and train to gain additional insight into the Spanish influence of the historical development of colonial Columbia.

- a tour of museums, galleries, churches, palaces, and other sites in Rome and Florence, Italy, conducted by Professor Paul Kline. The tour also included several old Etruscan cities north of Rome and sites where excavation is taking place in Orvieto, Assisi, and Perugia. The town of Pisa was included in the return trip from Florence to Rome.

- a tour of France conducted by Linda Andes Georges, '68, daughter of Dr. Ray Andes, chairman of the foreign language department, and wife of Jean-Pierre Georges of Grenoble, France. The first week the students toured Paris and nearby scenic attractions, such as the Palace of Versailles, Chartres Cathedral, and the Cathedral of Notre-Dame. They traveled south through the Loire Valley, visited the chateaus and a school in Lyon. In Grenoble, some 400 miles south of Paris in the foothills of the Alps, they stayed in French homes and visited scenic attractions of the area. They also traveled to Strasbourg in the northwest part of France where they visited the two Bridgewater students who are studying under the Brethren Colleges Abroad program this year.

- a work project in Guatemala under the direction of Professor William Albright of the English Department. The group was assigned to a construction project under the general supervision of Church World Service, helping to rebuild houses destroyed by an earthquake last spring. In addition they wrote a paper, read about the country, and kept a journal.

- a tour, conducted by Dr. Harry Jopson, studying areas of ecological interest in the American Southwest. The class visited Big Bend National Park, Grand Canyon National Park, and a number of lesser known monuments including Saguaro, Casa Grande, Sunset Crater, Montezuma's Castle, and the San Francisco Peaks near Flagstaff, Arizona.

- two weeks at the Bermuda Biological Station under the direction of Dr. William L. Mengebier and Dr. L. Michael Hill. Dr. Mengebier is a trustee of the station and spent a sabbatical term there last winter. The students heard lectures by the director of the station, the curator of the Bermuda aquarium and museum, and the director of the Conservation Department of the Government of Bermuda. They also took field trips to Whalebone Bay, the botanical gardens, an island bird sanctuary, and to the home of the manager of the Bank of Bermuda who talked to them about shell collecting and showed them his extensive

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BRIDGEWATER COLLEGE CALLING



Linda Welty, a junior elementary education major, gave an evening of her time to help bring in pledges to this year's Telethon. Linda is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Welty of Bethesda, Md.

Calls are being made from the Kline Campus Center this month to alumni all over the United States during the annual Bridgewater College Telethon.

Students, alumni, trustees, faculty and staff members are participating, calling alumni who haven't yet contributed to the College in this fiscal year.

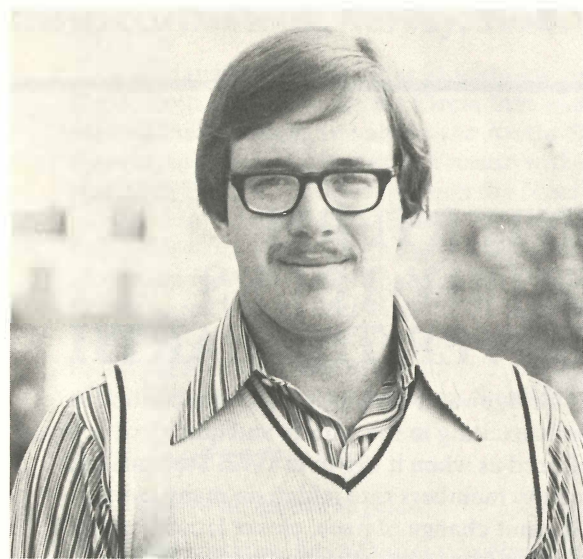
Ten phones have been set up in the campus center and calls are being made from 6:30 to 9:30 five evenings a week during the month of March. In an atmosphere of excitement and enthusiasm, callers vie with one another for the largest pledge and enjoy sharing news of the College with alumni who have been out of touch.

W. Wallace Hatcher, '55, chairman of the Alumni Gifts Committee, said, "Through the Telethon we hope to increase the number of alumni contributors. One of the most important endorsements a college can have is in the numbers of alumni who show support. Our alumni have a very good record of support, but we need to increase the active participation in order to help the College remain strong. We look to you who have not yet contributed this year to send in your gift to the College."

Last year 1,393 alumni contributed more than \$120,000 to the annual fund. This year the goal is \$150,000. As of the end of February, \$76,901 had been contributed to the annual fund by alumni, only a little more than half of the goal. Successfully meeting the 1976-77 goal will help make the \$8 million by 1980 target a reality.

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ON THE CAMPUS



Stephen O. Mason, '74, has accepted the position of assistant to the dean for student development. He began his work February 1. Dean Brian Hildebrand said that Steve will be responsible for housing, room assignments, programming, and working with the resident advisors on the men's side of the campus. He will also work with student organizations. Steve is working on a master's degree in counseling. For two years following graduation he served as assistant to the director of the Kline Campus Center. He succeeds Larry W. Glick as assistant to the dean. Larry has resigned to continue his graduate work.

William Mengebier, chairman of the department of biology, has written a chapter for *Case Histories of Tentmakers*, a book edited by James L. Lowery, Jr. Included are chapters by 24 worker-priests—clergymen and women, mostly Episcopalian, who hold two vocations, but who believe that the ecclesiastical vocation must not be lived apart from the secular. They believe also that God calls persons to live their daily lives seeing God's presence in all of life.

Dr. Mengebier, who has been a scientist involved in teaching, research, and administration for 28 years and an ordained priest of the Episcopal Church for eight, feels that the "role of the tentmaker or worker-priest within the college community is to 'be there.'" In order to be there, he must be recognized for his own academic credentials, . . ." He feels that his work as a parish priest, with a small parish at the foot of the Blue Ridge Mountains, is a complementary ministry, "the best of two worlds." "I do not see them as separate, but as two expressions of a single theme. The beginning of each school year is as challenging to me as it was the first time I entered a classroom. The preaching of the Gospel is a new experience for me every time I step into the pulpit. The way of life which has been granted to me is at present indivisible."

John G. Barr, associate professor of organ and piano, has completed all the requirements for the doctor of sacred music degree from the School of Sacred Music of Union Theological Seminary in New York City. The title of his dissertation was "A Tonal History of Pipe Organs Built by M. P. Moeller, Inc."

A native of Oregon, Dr. Barr holds a B.S. degree in music education from Manchester College in Indiana and a master of sacred music degree from the Union Seminary School of Sacred Music. He taught three years at the Hillcrest School in Nigeria and served as organist and choir director at several churches before joining the Bridgewater College faculty in 1968.

He also serves as organist at the Bridgewater Church of the Brethren and is the composer of several musical works, a cantata for solo voice and instrumental ensemble and a chorale prelude for organ.

The Forensics Club sponsored a high school debate and forensics tournament, February 4 and 5, on campus. Eleven different high schools were represented with events consisting of four-man debate and individual events including poetry reading, prose reading, public oratory, extemporaneous speaking, and spelling. Pam Kline, a freshman general science major from Bridge-

water, and Doug Brown, a freshman general science major from Mt. Sidney, directed the tournament. Dale Mekeel is director of debate.

Dr. Dale V. Ulrich, Dean of the College, was invited to serve on the Teacher Preparation Visiting Committee for Hollins College, Hollins, Va. The committee visited Hollins in March.

The Tribal Eye, a series of seven 45-minute films sponsored by the Rockingham Chapter of the Virginia Museum on primitive cultures of the world, was shown at Bridgewater during January and February. Topics included: the Indians of America and the Canadian Northwest; the Dogon people of West Africa; the golden objects of the Aztecs and Incas; the fierce Melanesian tribes of the Pacific Islands; and the bronze casting of Benin and If tribes of West Africa.

Michael Carr, a junior history and political science and international studies major, has been selected to represent Bridgewater as a research fellow at the George C. Marshall Research Foundation during interterm and spring vacation in February and March. Michael is working with George Marshall's papers on some aspect of the United Nations. His research is being carried out at the George C. Marshall Library of Virginia Military Institute as an independent study project.

Michael particularly enjoys U. S. diplomatic history and hopes to go to law school after graduation and enter some phase of international law. He is president of the junior class, an editor of the student newspaper, secretary of intramurals, and a member of Lambda and Alpha Chi honor societies. He is the son of Mrs. Thomas E. Carr of Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

Dale Birkle, a senior general science major, expects to have a paper published in the *Journal of Organic Chemistry* on research she conducted last summer at the Naval Research Lab in Washington, D.C. She wrote the paper, entitled "C-13 CIDNP from photolysis of AZP-2-methyl-2-propane," in a chemistry honors course at Bridgewater in the fall. The paper will be presented at the American Chemical Society Conference in New Orleans in March.

Dale is station manager of WGMB, the campus radio station, and a member of Lambda and Alpha Chi honor societies. Following graduation, she plans to continue her studies in graduate school in the field of pharmacology, studying the effect of drugs on biological systems.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Birkle of Temple Hills, Md.

The department of health and physical education conducted a program of planned recreation for children in the Bridgewater area in grades 3-6, on Saturday mornings in January and February. Assisting in the program were physical education majors and other interested students. Wrestling, gymnastics, and basketball were available to the children under student and staff supervision. About sixty children were regular and enthusiastic participants.

Deborah Legg, a senior art major, had an exhibit of her work in the Art Gallery of the Kline Campus Center during February. A reception was held for her on Sunday afternoon, February 6.

Included in the exhibit were representative drawings, paintings, and sculpture. Miss Legg is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Legg of Stuarts Draft, Va.

Dr. M. Ellsworth Kyger, professor of modern languages, has received notification that the Pennsylvania German Society will support his research in the Pennsylvania German dialect. This research is expected to lead to the publication of an English-Pennsylvania German dictionary. Dr. Kyger also hopes to publish a Pennsylvania German-English dictionary eventually.

"The Pennsylvania German dialect is still spoken by as many as 250,000 people in southwest Pennsylvania, Maryland, the Virginias, Ohio, and other areas in the West," Dr. Kyger said. The Pennsylvania German Society is devoted to recording and preserving the culture and its dialect.



Harpagon the miser (Eugene Falvo) woos the youthful Mariane (Cathy Slusher) as his daughter Elise (Elaine Smith) looks on.

The new addition to Cole Hall gave drama director, Ralph MacPhail, Jr., the opportunity to experiment with a true theater-in-the-round format when the Pinion Players presented *The Miser* February 3-7. The tiers of 150 seats were positioned on the Cole Hall stage with entrances and exits from three locations. The nearness of the seats to the acting area tended to draw the audiences into the action. On one evening, as the miser, played by Eugene Falvo of Utica, N.Y., paced frantically around the stage seeking his stolen money, someone in the audience, moved by his plight, handed him a coin. On other evenings his pleas that someone in the audience tell him who had stolen his wealth were met with laughter, but no one divulged the secret.

The play was very well received by its five audiences. The simple set was adequate for the format and the brightly-colored costumes added a great deal. The fast-paced action moved the show along at a good clip and the pratfalls and humorous antics of the talented cast made for a very entertaining evening.



A quilt, donated to the home economics department by Miss S. Ruth Howe, has been on exhibit in the department during the winter term. Miss Howe inherited the quilt from her mother, Mrs. William M. Howe (Edith Newcomer). "I have no idea who made the quilt," she said, "but my mother lived from 1869-1907, so it could be close to a hundred years old. If it was made by my grandmother, it could easily be a hundred and fifty years old," Miss Howe said.

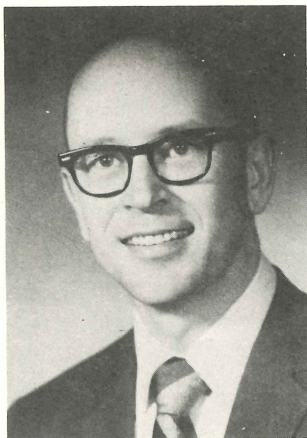
She considers it a valuable piece of handwork for several reasons. "The quilt provides a variety of materials of the day and exhibits a great variety of embroidery stitches." Miss Howe also pointed out that some patches are hand painted while others are embroidered and it also combines both quilting and knotting.

"The department is very pleased to have the quilt," Miss Anna Mae Myers, chairman of the home economics department said, "both for its educational value for our students and for the value we place in it because it belonged to Miss Howe."

Miss Howe was chairman of the department of home economics and a member of the faculty from 1945-1971. The living room in the Moomaw Hall of Home Economics is named in honor of her.

Wade —

Westmar President



Dr. Ben F. Wade, '57, has accepted the presidency of Westmar College in Le Mars, Iowa. Dr. Wade has served as dean of Florida Southern College in Lakeland, Fla. for the last 3½ years. Westmar College is affiliated with the United Methodist Church and Dr. Wade believes strongly in the liberal arts, church-related college.

"The historic intention of the liberal arts college has been to produce the most humane persons possible for careers such as ministry, teaching, and medicine," he said. "We must meet the career needs of today's students and at the same time preserve the integrity of the liberal arts orientation which we believe to be essential." Dr. Wade hopes to administer the college in a style characterized by mutual trust and shared responsibility and authority. "This shared team approach to management provides for the making of careful decisions even when these decisions are especially difficult," he said. "But without mutual trust the kind of Christian community which I am discussing will not happen."

A native of Roanoke, Va., Dr. Wade holds an M.S. degree from Columbia University in New York City, a master of divinity degree from United Theological Seminary, Dayton, Ohio, a master of sacred theology degree from Boston University, and a doctorate from Hartford Seminary Foundation in Hartford, Conn. He was dean of Brevard College, Brevard, N.C., professor of religion at Madison College in Harrisonburg, and associate professor of theology at United Theological Seminary in Dayton previously. He has been a member of the Virginia Conference of the United Methodist Church since 1955.

Dr. Wade and his wife, Janice, have two daughters, Andrea Marie and Laurel Faye.

I. J. Sanger — Artist

A special feature of Founders Day this year will be an exhibition of the graphic work of I. J. Sanger, '24. The exhibit, in the Kline Campus Center Art Gallery, will run from March 21 through April 8. A reception will be held for Mr. Sanger in the campus center, prior to the Founders Day banquet. Also Mr. Sanger will receive special recognition from the Collge during the dinner program.

I. J. Sanger has meant a great deal to Bridgewater College over the years. It was he, along with former professor, C. E. "Tiny" May, who designed the Bridgewater College coat of arms and the name plaque for the Alexander Mack Memorial Library.

After two years at Bridgewater Mr. Sanger left to pursue his art career at the Teachers College of Columbia University where he earned a B.S. in Fine Arts Education. His special interests have been in woodcuts, wood engraving, and lithography, and he has been a member of the Society of Washington Printmakers for over a quarter of a century. He has had a one-man exhibit of his work at the Smithsonian, and the Arts Club of Washington, D.C. included his work in a two-man exhibit in 1954. His work has also been exhibited in the Brooklyn Museum, Metropolitan Museum, Whitney Museum, Chicago International, American Society of Etchers Exhibition, Library of Congress, and the Corcoran Gallery of Art.

He is included in a number of collections including the San Diego Fine Arts Gallery, Wesleyan University, Princeton University, the University of Wisconsin, and the New York Public Library.

Mr. Sanger's work was exhibited on the Bridgewater College campus in 1963. An exhibition entitled "The Face of the Land and the Sea" was on display in the June 1 Gallery in Bethlehem, Connecticut, last year, with a preview for the Washington, D.C. area at the Ramada Inn in Bethesda. Campbell Dodgson, former curator

of prints and drawings for the British Museum, and editor of *Fine Prints of the Year*, included two of his wood engravings in that series, and other Sanger prints were included in each of four consecutive collections of *Fifty Prints of the Year*, sponsored by the American Institute of Graphic Arts.

Dr. R. Lowell Wine — Author, Teacher, Hiker, Camper

Dr. R. Lowell Wine, '41, Bridgewater College trustee and professor of statistics at Hollins College, has written a book, *Beginning Statistics*, published by Winthrop Publishers. With a trailer as an office, writing from sunrise to noon, Dr. Wine finished the book in two summers camped in the mountains of Wyoming. In the afternoons he walked, usually about ten miles a day. Every five or six days he would take a day off and climb a mountain.

Dr. Wine is presently working on another book, *Statistical Inference*, in the same manner, only this time his office has been moved to the San Juan Mountains of Colorado. Last summer he climbed 14 peaks in excess of 14,000 feet. Over the three summers he has spent in that area, he has climbed 40 such peaks.

He was in the Durango area of Colorado around August 1st and had taken three days off to backpack into the Needles area when he met up with a 3-man team, part of a Bicentennial effort where teams of hikers were to climb all of the 54 Colorado peaks over 14,000 feet on the same day. He was invited to join the expedition and they camped at 12,000 feet for an early climb up Windom Peak. Not content with one peak, they continued down a slope, across a snow field, up a rocky ridge, and climbed to the summit of another peak, Sunlight. Around 1:00 p.m. they hiked down to camp, ate lunch, rested, and climbed a third peak that afternoon, Mt. Eolus. "We had a good day," Dr. Wine said.

Most of the time he walks by himself in the mountains and has happened quietly upon many different species of animals and birds. On one occasion, in the San Luis Mountains of Colorado, he saw 22 bighorn sheep at close range, an extremely unusual sight. Unfortunately the experience must remain only in his memory because, "I got so excited I forgot to take pictures," he said. Dr. Wine takes 500 to 600 photographs a year which he enjoys for the aesthetic pleasure it gives him and in sharing them with others.

His wife, the former Ruth Crumpacker, contents herself with sharing his experiences vicariously through his photographs after he returns home again to Roanoke.

Dr. Wine holds a B.A. from Bridgewater and M.A. from the University of Virginia in math and a Ph.D. in statistics from VPI. He has taught at the University of Oklahoma, Amherst College, Washington & Lee, VPI, and has been at Hollins College since 1957. He has also taught during the summer and while on sabbatical at Arizona State University, White Sands Missile Range, Queens University (Canada), and the University of Florida Graduate School.

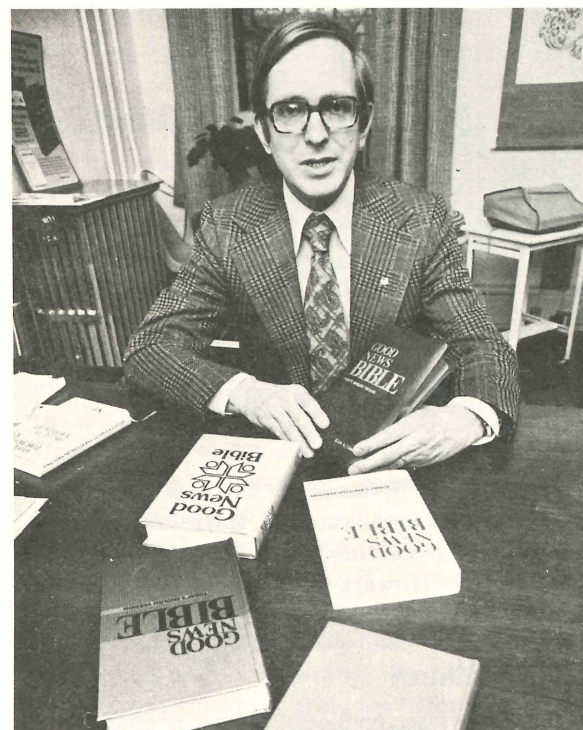
Dr. Wine's many interests include gardening, building houses, creating games, church activities, and traveling. He hasn't always been an avid mountain climber. "When I was 53 I started climbing those peaks. When I am in the mountains, even though it's fairly lonely at times, each day I have the opportunity to use three aspects of my person — physical, mental, and spiritual. One can't walk around the mountains and see what I see without putting life in perspective."

PEACE PEOPLE'S MARCH

Beth Glick-Rieman, '44, and Geraldine Zigler Glick, '46, are two BC alumni who took part in the Peace People's March on The Boyne in Northern Ireland December 5, representing the Church of the Brethren. Called the Journey of Reconciliation, the witness to nonviolence came in response to an invitation by Betty Williams and Mairead Corrigan, the two Irish women heading up the women's movement for peace.

The group spent a week in Dublin, Belfast, Londonderry, Dunmurray, Glencree, and Drogheda, meeting with church and Peace People leaders learning about "The Trouble" in Ireland. They took part then in the march for peace and reconciliation, demonstrating support for a non-violent settlement to the problem.

Crim — Bible Translator



Dr. Keith R. Crim, '47, associate professor of philosophy and religious studies at Virginia Commonwealth University, is one of the seven translators of the *Good News Bible*, published in December by the American Bible Society.

The books Dr. Crim translated from the Hebrew text (with consultations of other manuscripts and the Dead Sea Scrolls) are 1st and 2nd Chronicles, Ezra, Nehemiah, Job, Song of Songs, Ezekiel, Daniel, and the first half of Isaiah. In an interview with the *Richmond Times Dispatch*, Dr. Crim explained, "After we did our first drafts, we circulated our work among the whole committee, got comments from each other and did some polishing. So the end result is definitely the work of a committee, but we couldn't have gotten to the committee stage without each one of us working separately."

Although there are already many versions of the Bible, Dr. Crim feels that this one will fill a particular need that the others don't. He said, "It's a translation that is faithful to the original languages. It's clear. It's in contemporary English. It's at the ordinary level of language where we normally talk. This makes it accessible to as wide a reading audience as possible."

Dr. Crim is also the general editor of the fifth volume of the *Interpreter's Dictionary of the Bible*, and translator of a number of books. He and his wife, Evelyn Ritchie, '46, spent 14 years as missionaries in Korea before moving to Richmond.

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collection. The students also developed individual study topics on special interests.

- a study-tour to the United Nations headquarters in New York City conducted by Professor Lamar Neal of the department of history and political science. The students received briefings from a number of delegations, the U.S.S.R., U.S., France, China, Ireland, South Africa, Italy, and others. They also learned about various special UN programs such as the UN Decade for Women, Habitat UN/ Environment Programme, and agencies such as UNESCO and UNICEF. These students also prepared independent study projects.

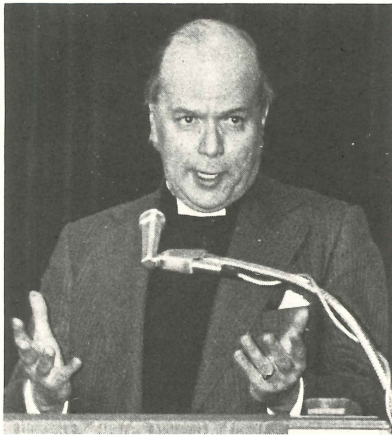
- a study-tour to Nashville, Memphis, New Orleans, and Mississippi under Dr. Charles Churchman of the English Department, studying the works of Southern writers, particularly Mark Twain and William Faulkner. The students heard lectures at the University of Mississippi by faculty members who had known and worked with Faulkner.

A number of other courses included field trips as part of the curriculum. Others involved field work placement and student teaching in the community.

Some of the more unique courses taught on campus were: a study of Sub-Saharan Music, a study of herbs and folk medicine, the production of a children's play for presentation to elementary-age children, collecting folklore, archaeology and the biblical world, perspectives of biofeedback, playing and coaching competitive tennis, and creative photographic techniques.

The firsthand learning in these courses turns out to be among the most memorable learning experiences that many students have.

SPIRITUAL LIFE INSTITUTE



DR. HAGEMAN

Participants in this year's 82nd annual Spiritual Life Institute gained renewal, refreshment, and new perspectives from the three featured speakers, Dr. Howard G. Hageman, Dr. Granger E. Westberg, and the Rev. H. Lamar Gible.

DR. HAGEMAN

Dr. Hageman, president of New Brunswick Seminary, spoke primarily to the ministers in his audience with his topics of "Guideposts for Doing Liturgy," "Catholics, Evangelicals, and Reformed," and "A New Look at Biblical Preaching."

In his presentation on liturgy, Dr. Hageman said, "Worship is never a spectator sport. We are making a declaration about our God and our gospel, celebrating a living Savior and a future. It is toward the coming of His Kingdom that history is moving. Whatever we can do in designing liturgy to turn it back to the people, the 'real ministers,' we ought to do," he said. "Consider whether our liturgies are adequate expressions of who God is. Often our hymns are egocentric — 'Will there be any stars in *my* crown?' 'Oh, that will be glory for *me*.'"

After an overview of the basic Catholic, Evangelical, and Reformed doctrines, he asked several questions: "By clinging vigorously to our denominational style, are we impoverishing ourselves? Christians have loved each other and hardly anyone else. Is the church here for the sake of the church or is it here for the sake of the world? How does one become a Christian in these different traditions? "I'm aware," he said, "of a growing uncertainty as to whether the answers have heretofore been complete answers. How are we baptized? How recognized as children of the covenant? What is our relationship to the Lord's Supper? "The church of Jesus Christ is Evangelical, Catholic, and Reformed. The exciting thing is re-examining our separate styles in the light of the fullness of the gospel."

The coming together in worship is the empowering for effective service in the world.

DR. WESTBERG

Dr. Westberg's background as director of the Wholistic Health Centers Project recognizes the importance of problems of the human spirit in a combined medical and theological approach to health care.

As a hospital chaplain, he was impressed with the fact that so many persons were telling him about something they had lost in the last six months — a job, a pet, a neighbor, a chance for advancement.

"Whenever you lose something significant," he said, "it affects your body and makes you more vulnerable to physical illness. Physical symptoms of distress make us sick. It comes on in kind of cumulative fashion. It's our body, as our closest friend, telling us, 'For goodness sake, take it easy. Slow down.'"

Attitudes, philosophy of life, and theology are of concern in the health field today. A family doctor, he said, can handle 85 % of illnesses. A person who has faith and goals beyond himself has a greater chance of resisting illness because he has strength within himself.

An advocate of simplifying language, he tells his medical students that they should consider people "a little bit sick," "sicker," and "really sick." Ten percent of sick people are really sick, he said, and 70 % of the doctors have chosen to work in that area. 30 % of people are fairly sick and 30 % of the doctors are in that area, but 60 % of people who are sick are only a little bit sick, and only 1 % of doctors are working there, in preventive health.



DR. WESTBERG

The Wholistic Health Centers are, quite simply, doctor's offices held in church buildings. In that setting, they have available to them a full-time doctor, nurse, pastor with counseling training, and secretary. 20-40 volunteers help in the clinic — medical students and residents, non-working nurses, other pastors, and non-clergy people with a concern for persons. They all subscribe to the belief that all persons are made by God in His image for health and wholeness. When Dr. Westberg began his first center, no patients came for three weeks, then a barmaid came in and the clinic grew "so fast we didn't know what to do." They began to set up classes in health care, nutrition, and a dozen other topics for people waiting. They now have clinics in an upperclass neighborhood, middle, rural, and a poor area. The parish church, he said, is involved with keeping people well, and is a logical place to set up a clinic. Many Sunday School rooms are used only on Sunday and can be used as clinic rooms with only some minor remodeling. This approach gives the patient an opportunity to take part in the procedure. Another strength is that when a person goes to several specialists, he may be taking some medicine that is contra-indicated. A clinic such as this will pull the strings together and keep track of them. Centers are non-profit. "Expenses include salaries, equipment, and supplies, but costs go down every year which most mission projects do not do," Dr. Westberg said.

In his evening presentation, Dr. Westberg spoke on the topic, "Go, Preach, and Heal." Jesus' words to His followers were not, he said, "Go preach, preach, preach." For years he said, "We've neglected the healing because we've turned that over to the scientists and the church has had no dialogue with the medical profession. But now a new day is dawning. Doctors are saying that the scientific approach isn't doing the whole job. There's something missing. "The something missing is the wholistic approach."

Dr. Westberg commented that self-centeredness makes one sick while other-centeredness makes one flower. A person needs: 1) to have a sense of self worth, 2) to be people-centered, 3) to respond spontaneously with a capacity to appreciate life over and over again, 4) to be alone, and 5) to live in the world, but not



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be of the world. The body functions at its worst when certain attitudes are present — revenge, selfishness, anxiety, despair, cynicism, and hopelessness, and at its best when there is an attitude of gratitude, with the attendant joy, love, self-confidence, hope, freedom, forgiveness, fulfillment, sensitivity, and acceptance. "If we're going to heal our society, we'll have to be the leaven in the loaf that we haven't been, and we need to refute many of the attitudes and pressures that the mass media is pushing. I think we have something to say to our culture," he said, "and I think it's about time we say it."

REV. GIBBLE

The Rev. H. Lamar Gible, Peace and International Affairs Consultant, World Ministries Commission, Church of the Brethren.

Mr. Gible spoke on "Things That Make for Peace." He categorized the things that make for global problems into five areas: 1) unjust or inequitable distribution of the necessities of life, 2) militarism, 3) human rights repression, 4) irresponsible exploitation of earth's resources, and 5) narrow nationalism. In considering these different, but interrelated problem areas, we tend to become pessimistic and even hopeless, he said. But there is much that can be done. We need to acknowledge adequate food as a right for all and need to be on the side of providing money for development in food short areas. "We need to work at converting our scientific and technological expertise from life destroying defense and military production to life giving endeavors." Speaking as a representative of the Church of the Brethren, he said, "For years we have been conscientious objectors in regard to war. Now it is time for us to become conscientious objectors to economic and political systems which preserve the wealth and luxuries for the few and which deny the basic necessities of life for many. Other steps that should be taken are: ending the arms race, opposing the granting of aid to repressive regimes, ratifying U. N. covenants on rights, curbing our consumptive appetities, supporting the United Nations. We must be responsible individuals, take the risk and pay the price so that change may occur. Those of us in Christ's faith community have the potential to make the difference," he concluded.

1977 CONCERT CHOIR SCHEDULE

Friday, April 1,	7:30 p.m.	Mountain Grove Church of the Brethren, Fulks Run, Va.
Saturday, April 2,	7:30 p.m.	Mill Creek Church of the Brethren, Cross Keys, Va.
Sunday, April 3,	10:30 a.m.	Linville Creek Church of the Brethren, Broadway, Va.
	3:00 p.m.	Mt. Pleasant Church of the Brethren, Harrisonburg, Va.
	7:30 p.m.	Montezuma Church of the Brethren, Dayton, Va.
Friday, April 15,	7:00 p.m.	Glade Valley Church of the Brethren, Walkersville, Md.
Saturday, April 16,	7:30 p.m.	Ephrata Church of the Brethren, Ephrata, Pa.
Sunday, April 17,	10:30 a.m.	Spring Creek Church of the Brethren, Hershey, Pa.
	3:00 p.m.	Codorus Church of the Brethren, Loganville, Pa.
	7:00 p.m.	Westminster Church of the Brethren, Westminster, Md.
Friday, April 29,	7:30 p.m.	Southern Middle School, Oakland, Md.
Saturday, April 30,	7:30 p.m.	Longmeadow Church of the Brethren, Hagerstown, Md.
Sunday, May 1,	11:00 a.m.	Manassas Church of the Brethren, Manassas, Va.
	3:00 p.m.	Oakton Church of the Brethren, Oakton, Va.
Sunday, May 8,	11:00 a.m.	Antioch Church of the Brethren, Boones Mill, Va.
	3:00 p.m.	Daleville Church of the Brethren, Daleville, Va.
	7:30 p.m.	Williamson Road Church of the Brethren, Roanoke, Va.
Friday, May 13,	7:30 p.m.	Lebanon Church of the Brethren, Mt. Sidney, Va.
Saturday, May 14,	7:30 p.m.	Mt. Vernon Church of the Brethren, Stuarts Draft, Va.
Sunday, May 15,	11:00 a.m.	Pleasant Valley Church of the Brethren, Weyers Cave, Va.
	3:00 p.m.	Second Presbyterian Church, Staunton, Va.
	7:30 p.m.	Meadows Presbyterian Church, Charlottesville, Va.

Women

Women Are State Small College Champs

The women’s basketball team held on to its championship title as it cruised to victory in the Virginia Federation of Intercollegiate Sports for Women Small College Basketball Tournament at Roanoke College Feb. 4-5, with wins over Lynchburg and Eastern Mennonite.

On their way to the tournament, the women’s quintet compiled a 14-7 regular season record. The team won eight of its final nine regular season games in preparation for the tournament, the only loss coming against Madison College when a last minute rally fell short, 55-50. In that (her final home game) contest senior Mari Lou Moore (Broadway) led the charge with 18 points. Going into the Madison game, the women held a six-game win streak against the likes of William & Mary, Lynchburg, Westhampton, Christopher Newport, George Mason (overtime), and Mary Washington Colleges.

Leading scorers during the regular season were Janet Stivers (so., Arlington) with a 12.1 average and Lou Moore with 11.0 per game average. Janet had highs of 17 against George Mason and Mary Washington, and also led the team in rebounding with 10.4 per game. Another consistent performer has been Doris Scott (jr., South Boston) with a 7.4 rebound average and a high game of 15 points against Lynchburg. Leading the team in assists has been freshman Anne Brown (Lebanon, Pa.) with a 5.0 per game average.

In the first game of the state tournament, the Eaglettes went up against a tall Emory & Henry team, but came out on top, 76-55. Cathie Stivers (so., Arlington) and Lou Moore each poured in 19 points. Gail Southard (fr., Broadway) scored 13, and Susan Derrow (jr., Broadway) added 10 points. In the semi-finals, BC trounced Roanoke, 81-49, thus qualifying for the championship game. Lou Moore again scored 19 points, and Janet Stivers added 14 and 20 rebounds. Doris Scott and Susan Derrow each chipped in 10 points to the effort. In the final round, Bridgewater defeated *Clinch Valley 67-45 to retain the title, with team* leaders Moore, scoring 20 points, and J. Stivers, 17; Scott had 20 rebounds and Southard, 9 points and 8 interceptions. Janet Stivers was named to the all-conference team, and Lou Moore was named MVP of the tournament, and was also named to the all-tournament team.

The Eaglettes took their 17-7 record to the AIAW Southern Region Tournament at Francis Marion College in Florence, S.C., where they lost to a strong High Point, N.C. team in the first round on Thursday, March 10.

LACROSSE

The women’s lacrosse team will open its season April 5th at home against Lynchburg. The varsity and junior varsity teams, coached by Mary F. Heishman, posted records of 11-0-1 and 4-1-1, respectively, last year, the first undefeated team in school history. Eleven members of last year’s squad were selected for post-season competition. Returning to the squad are seniors Nan Mabe, Pam Reklis, Peggy Campbell, Diane Tuck, Bonnie Hatfield, Mari Lou Moore, Charlotte Beahm, Susan Billhimer, and Judy Shivers; juniors Kathy Moss, Jackie Almarode, Donna Nichols, and Debbie Taylor, and sophomore Rita Schultz. Newcomers to the team are junior Chris Carmon, sophomore Teresa Bryan, and freshmen Kathy Carson, Anne Brown, Liz Byers, Diane Lacklin, Karen Fair, Peggy Hutchinson, Sigrid Grotos, Karen Sanger, Lani Wright, Carolyn Phillips, and Janice Morris.

TENNIS

The women’s tennis team will begin its season March 24th at home against Old Dominion University. Coached by Laura Mapp, the women will try to improve last year’s record of 5-7. Returning players are seniors Eileen Waterhouse and Jeannie Miller, juniors Jeannie Buchmoyer, Doris Scott, and Susan Derrow, and sophomores Alice Ryan, Sue Ann McAllister, Suzanne Artz, Cathie Stivers and Sherri Bittner. Newcomers to the squad are junior Cathy Crist, sophomores Leigh-lu Myers and Kathy Ziess, and freshmen Gail Southard, Judy Ruddiman, and Beth Gohegan.

SPORTS

by
Steve Broache, '78
and
Cathie Stivers, '79

Men

BASEBALL

The baseball team opened its season in Florida March 14 with a five-game road trip, meeting Florida Southern twice, a team that reached the NCAA Division II finals the past four years. The three other schools, St. Leo, Coastal Carolina, and Division I Armstrong State, helped the Eagles get ready for the home opener March 22, a double-header against Washington & Lee, the first of 12 Old Dominion Athletic Conference games.

Coach Jim Reedy is optimistic, but cautious, about the season, because he is depending on 13 first-year players. “We have the chance and the potential to do quite well, but so much depends on the improvement and development of players that are in the program for the first time,” he said.

The six-man pitching staff is indicative of the situation. Only one of the six, Jim Bibb (so, Charlottesville) played last season. Four are freshmen and one is a transfer from Virginia Tech. Dave Shepherd (fr., Fairfax) is the No. 1 starter right now and Dave Shields (so., Lynchburg) “has solid potential.” The other freshmen pitchers are Larry French (Roanoke), Scott Terry (McLean), and John Riley (Alexandria).

Mike Church (so., Keysville) and Robert Weeks (so., Floyd) will split duty behind the plate, trying to replace Ken Utterback, three-time All-VCAA catcher who graduated last year.

Russ Laub (jr., McLean) will play first base, with Mike McMillan (fr., Rural Retreat) backing him up. Jeff Wholey (so., Fredericksburg) returns to second. Jerry Hutchinson (fr., Charlottesville) is at shortstop. Senior Jeff Gianakos (sr., Charlottesville) returns to third. He “slumped” to a .389 batting average last year after hitting .445 his sophomore year.

Jim Kersey (so., Bumpass), a .415 batter as the designated hitter last seson, again will be the DH.

Sophomore Silas Harvey (Monroe) is “the team’s most improved player,” according to Reedy. He returns to rightfield. Harvey hit .309 last year and is expected to match that.

Mike Bocock (so., Dayton), a transfer from Chowan College, will open in centerfield.

Freshman Butch Andrey (Conshohocken, Pa.) will open in leftfield as one of the team’s fast men. The rest of the team includes Don Malan (McLean), Buddy Bromley (Springfield), Terry Brown (Annandale), and Steve Martin (Pearisburg).

Coach Reedy is hopeful of bettering last year’s 9-11 record and being one of the four teams to reach the ODAC tournament.

TRACK AND FIELD

The 1977 track season opens with the Eagles producing another strong team. But how do you improve on an unblemished 1976 record of 8-0? For starters, the school is now in the new Old Dominion Athletic Conference with a clear shot at the initial conference title. Led by newcomer Keith Alamong (Waynesboro) and senior middle distance runner Mike Kidd (Oneida, N.Y.), the team looks even stronger this year. Allamong is a transfer from East Carolina University specializing in the high jump, long jump, pole vault, and the dashes. Kidd has set a torrid pace throughout cross country and indoor track, and appears on his way to several new Bridgewater records this spring. Other runners back are sophomore Alvin Younger (Naruna), who led the team in points last year while competing in the long and triple jumps; Jerry Crouse (St. Cloud, Fla.) in the three mile; Brett Samples (Alexandria) in the 880; Les West (Hopewell) in the high hurdles and 440; Jeff Horton (Richmond) in the dashes; Sam Baker (Red House) in the shot and discus; Greg Harper (Harrisonburg) in the dashes; and Peter Kent (Bridgewater) in the pole vault. Another welcome addition for Coach Harry Jopson has been senior quarter-miler Ricky Davis. The senior from Barboursville has enjoyed an excellent indoor season, not bad considering that it’s his first

time to run track during his stay at Bridgewater. The team’s first meet is on April 2 against EMC, at home. The conference meet will be at Bridgewater on April 30.

INDOOR TRACK

The indoor track and field team finished a close third in the first annual Old Dominion Athletic Conference championship. The Lynchburg College Hornets took the championship with 78 points on their home track. Washington & Lee took second with 73 points, with Bridgewater in third with 68. A disqualification in the final event of the day (the two mile relay) became the difference between second and third for the Eagles. Other teams scoring were Roanoke College with 10 points, and Emory & Henry College with 1 point.

Leading the harriers was middle distance runner Mike Kidd (Oneida, N.Y.) with victories in the mile (4.29.9) and 1000 yd. (2:17.5) runs. Mike was honored by being named the ODAC Runner of the Year following the meet. Other versatile performers during the meet were Keith Allemong (Waynesboro, Va.) first in the high jump - 6’2”, and second in the long jump - 21’ 6 3/4”; Ricky Davis (Barboursville, Va.) first in the 600 yd. run - 1:16.3, and legs on the winning 440 and mile relay teams; Les West (Hopewell, Va.) first in the 60 yd. high hurdles - 8.1, and a leg on the mile relay team; and Jeff Strosnider (Luray, Va.) thirds in the long - 20’ 8 1/2” - and triple - 41’ 7 1/2” - jumps. The other winning relay team members were Greg Harper (Harrisonburg, Va.), Jeff Horton (Richmond, Va.) - both relays, Alvin Younger (Naruna, Va.), and Robbie Miller (Bridgewater, Va.).

All first place finishers in the meet were named to the ODAC All-Conference indoor track team. Bridgewater placed eight men on this team.

BASKETBALL

It was a tough season for the men’s basketball team. On their way to a 6-18 record, the Eagles dropped ten of their final eleven games. The lone win, however, became the most important as they defeated Emory and Henry (71-64) to gain a play-off berth in the first annual Old Dominion Athletic Conference tournament. Bridgewater played nationally ranked (4th in Division III) Washington & Lee in the semifinal round. They were knocked out 94-81 with senior Mark Altizer (Bridgeport, West Va.) leading the scoring with 13 points.

Coach Mel Myers said, “This young team has gained invaluable experience for the seasons to come.” With a starting lineup containing only one senior, the future does look bright. Of the eleven players earning a letter through their amount of playing time, nine were underclassmen. The team was led in scoring by freshman Barney Reiley (Alexandria, Va.) and sophomore Woody Hays (Verona, Va.) with a 13.1 and 11.6 average respectively. Sophomore Jim Mumper (Bridgewater, Va.) was an all-around contributor through his versatile play. He averaged 11.3 points, shot 80% from the free throw line, shot 50% from the field, and pulled down 8.6 rebounds a game to lead the Eagles in three statistical categories. Other valuable contributors to the team were freshman guard Billy Pope (Darnestown, Md.), and senior Dusty Miller (Bridgewater, Va.)

The team achieved its goal of gaining tournament experience in this the first year of the new Old Dominion Athletic Conference.

TENNIS

The 1977 men’s tennis season looks promising with the addition of several newcomers plus down-the-line strength and experience of the returnees. Leading the team in his final season will be senior captain Rush Barnett (Bridgewater), who will play at the No. 2 singles spot. In 1976 Barnett compiled a 9-4 record at the No. 4 spot. Moving up to No. 1 (with the loss of Nos. 1 and 2 to graduation) will be Steve Broache (McGaheysville). Broache had an 8-5 record playing at the No. 3 spot last spring. Rounding out the top six will be Johnny Milleson (Berryville), Kevin Harris (Warrenton), Dave Darden (West Point), and Steve Young (Westminster). Newcomers who could break into the top six are junior Tracy Poff (Salem), sophomore Chris Wilbourne (Salem), and freshmen Al Byers (Arlington) and Joe Freeland (Keysville). The team plays its first match at Bridgewater on March 29 at 10:00 a.m.

CLASS NOTES

'20's

J. Quinter Miller, '21, was recently honored by the National Association of Ecumenical Staff with a citation for 50 years in ecumenical service at the 1976 meeting. Dr. Miller received the only 50-year citation ever awarded.

Margaret Graybill Yingling, '22, is compiling a record of the Graybill-Booze (Boose-Boze) families. If you have any information concerning these families, she would be glad to hear from you at 1412 Deer Park Rd., Finksburg, Md. 21048.

Carrie Showalter Stern, '24, is retired at the age of 80. She is a member of the Senior Citizens Group at York Center Church of the Brethren. She is living in Villa Park, Illinois.

'30's

Rev. and Mrs. Galen D. Wine, '30, are serving as interim pastors of the Coulson Church of the Brethren, Hillsville, Va.

S. Earl Mitchell, '32, and **Vera Woodlie Mitchell**, '33, are in the volunteer service working in Macedonian Mission in more than 40 Church of the Brethren congregations in five districts.

Carl H. Welch, '33, retired in April, 1976. He and his wife are living in Daly City, Calif.

Rev. Olden D. Mitchell, '35, received his Doctor of Ministry degree from Bethany Theological Seminary in June, 1976. Rev. Mitchell is district moderator in the N. Indiana District and is in his eleventh year as pastor of the Lincolnshire Church of the Brethren in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

W. O. Beazley, '37, of Abilene, Texas, delivered six white horses to Washington, D.C. for the inaugural parade on January 20, 1977. Dr. Beazley is vice president of Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

Miriam Holsinger Butler, '39, retired from teaching in July of 1974. She is living in Greensboro, Maryland.

'40's

William Z. Cline, '41, spoke at the Council for the Advancement and Support of Education (CASE) meeting in Kansas City in March of this year. Mr. and Mrs. Cline reside in Evanston, Ill.

Herbert Ruby, '41, director of school facilities, has announced his intention to retire in June, 1977. Mr. Ruby has been with the board of education for 32 years. He is living in Westminster, Maryland.

Aundria Newton Wilson, '41, is employed at the J. C. Penney Co. in the Crossroads Mall Store in Roanoke, Virginia as assistant to the personnel manager.

Dr. Warren Crummett, '43, has been named to the U. S. Environmental Protection Agency's Science Advisory Board. His assignment is on the Environmental Methodology Advisory Committee.

Carl H. Zigler, '43, is the director of the Pastoral Services Department and chaplain of the Brethren Home in New Oxford, Penn. Carl has held the same position at the Brethren Home in Greenville, Ohio, since 1972. Shortly after moving to Penn., Carl visited five countries abroad on a two-week tour of the Bible lands, re-tracing the ministries of the Apostle Paul.

Geraldine Z. Glick, '46, has been re-elected president of the Broadway-Timberville Chamber of Commerce.

Paul Foster, '47, is currently serving the Roanoke City Public School system as its administrator of general services. He was promoted to his present position July 1, 1975, having worked 28 years as teacher, assistant principal, and junior high principal in Roanoke City, Va. His wife, **Janet Evers Foster**, '44, is currently in her 20th year of teaching at Colonial Elementary School in Botetourt County.

Roberta Sadd Nelson, '47, received her M.A. in elementary education from V.P.I. & S.U. in June, 1976. She is teaching fifth grade in Nokesville Elementary School in Nokesville, Virginia.

'50's

Harold Armstrong, '51, was recently elected Zone Governor of the Ruritan Club in the Woodrow Wilson District (Augusta County).

Lloyd D. Haag, '51, obtained a real estate broker's license for Maryland in 1976 and opened his own office under the name of Homeland Realty Co., in the Charles Village section of Baltimore City. His wife, Joan, a speech clinician, is employed in a city school communications center. The Haags have a

son, Stephen, who is a senior at Frostburg State College; a daughter, Carolyn, who is a freshman at Bridgewater and a fifth grade daughter, Pamela. They live in the Mt. Washington section of Baltimore City.

Harold S. Moyer, '51, received his Doctor of Ministry degree from Bethany Theological Seminary in Oak Brook, Illinois, in 1976.

David L. Rogers, '51, was elected president of the Indiana State Pastors' Conference for the year 1977-78. It is an interdenominational organization of pastors covering the entire state. In 1976 he was also elected to the Indiana State Board of Mental Health. He is pastor of the Manchester Church of the Brethren.

Owen G. Stultz, '51, received his Doctor of Ministry degree from Bethany Theological Seminary in Oak Brook, Illinois, in 1976.

Grant Simmons, '52, was recently elected to a 3-year term on the Northwest Virginia Health Systems Agency Board of Directors. Mr. Simmons is pastor of the Mt. Vernon Church of the Brethren. He is living in Waynesboro, Va.

George S. Widmyer, '54, a United Methodist minister, has been serving the Middleburg Charge in Loudoun County, Va. since June 21, 1976. He lived in Singers Glen before moving to Middleburg.

Fern Jenkins Washburn, '55, is a substitute teacher at a high school and is active in church and civic interests. Her husband is a senior chemist with DuPont Co. They have four children and are living in Kinston, N.C.

Doris Eller Helsel, '56, has moved into the position of job development specialist for disabled students at Modesto Junior College in California. She has taught classes for the handicapped and has done volunteer work in the field. In her new position she hopes to lessen those obstacles which may keep handicapped students from making the contribution to society they are capable of making. She also plans to become a liaison between the campus and the business community.

Doris shares her interests with her husband, John, who is community relations director for Goodwill Industries in the San Joaquin Valley. The Heisels have two daughters, Gail, 17, and Joy, 13.

Albert L. Sauls, '57, received his Doctor of Ministry degree from Bethany Theological Seminary in Oak Brook, Illinois, in 1976.

Joseph I. Cline, Jr., '58, has been named manager of the new Risk Management section of Republic Steel in Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Cline joined Republic in 1975 as assistant manager of the Insurance Division after several years' experience in Insurance administration and risk management.

Walter and **Kathryn Flory Maier**, '58, reside at Rahway, N.J. where Walter is the pastor of Zion Lutheran Church. The Maiers have four children, Andrew, Thomas, Elizabeth and Peter.

F. Gary Osborne, '58, was recently elected vice president-investment officer for Wheat, First Securities, a member of the New York Stock Exchange. He is living in Troutville, Va.

'60's

J. C. Arnett, Jr., '63, is practicing pulmonary medicine and internal medicine in Elkins, West Va. He and his wife, Patricia (Ries), have 3 children.

William A. Copenhaver, '63, became pastor of the Linville Creek Church of the Brethren as of November 1, 1976. He and his wife, Mary Frances, came to Virginia after serving the Trinity Church of the Brethren in Detroit, Michigan, for nine years. They have two married children, Gary and Donna.

Mario and **Judy Row Galang**, '64, have three sons, ages 7, 5, and 2, and reside in Harrisonburg, Va. Mario is retired from the Air Force. She is a kindergarten teacher at Bridgewater Elementary School.

Nathan H. Miller, '65, was named the area's Outstanding Young Man of 1976 by the Harrisonburg Jaycees. He is now eligible for the Virginia Jaycees' statewide Outstanding Young Man Award.

William Earhart, '66, has been named a lifetime member of the Virginia Jaycees, the highest honor that can be awarded a Jaycee member. Mr. Earhart is a member of the Bridgewater-Dayton Jaycees and is currently ways and means vice president. He is also president of Bridgewater Christian Housing Assistance Corp., a non-profit organization formed to assist low income families. He and his wife, Janet, have one daughter, Rhonda, age 7.

Robert B. Sweet, '66, is currently attending a six-month intensive French language course at the Foreign Service Institute in Washington, D.C. In April, Bob and his wife, Pat, and three children will leave for West Africa where he will be assigned as Air Attache to the American Embassies of Liberia, Ivory Coast, Ghana, Upper Volta, Niger, and Sierra Leone. They will reside in Liberia, but he will fly frequently into the other countries to perform various advisory and representational functions.

C. Lawrence Wiskeman, '66, regional director of branches for the Savings Bank of Baltimore, was made assistant vice president in February, 1976. He resides in Reisters-town, Md. with his wife and two-year-old daughter, Heather Leigh.

Charles W. Haegele, '68, is practicing

optometry at Dyers Air Force Base in Abilene, Texas.

Jim Upperman, '68, was one of the workshop speakers at the National Federation's Seventh Annual National Conference of High School Directors of Athletics held in San Diego, Calif. December 12-15, 1976. Jim is the assistant principal and athletic director at Montevideo High School, Penn Laird, Va.

Donald L. Kline, '69, received his Doctor of Ministry degree from Bethany Theological Seminary in Oak Brook, Illinois, in 1976.

Lois Ann Schubel, '69, was recently employed as software specialist by Digital Equipment Corporation in Somerset, New Jersey. She is living in Middletown, N.J.

Barbara Walbridge McCann, '69, graduated from MCV in May, 1976, with a B.S. degree in Dental Hygiene and is now working in private practice. Her husband, **Larry E. McCann**, '70, is continuing work with the Virginia State Police. They are living in Richmond, Va.

'70's

Paul Ronald Carr, '70, is in his first year of study toward the combined degrees of Master of Divinity and Master of Christian Education at the Reformed Theological Seminary in Jackson, Miss., where he and his wife, Joyce, reside.

John S. Prichard, '70, is teaching history to ninth and tenth graders at Butler Intermediate High School. He has enrolled in a program at Westminster College, New Wilmington, Penn., that will lead to a Pennsylvania secondary principal's certificate.

Eileen Kron Davenport, '71, is currently working in the Development Office of Drew University in Fund Raising. She is living in Madison, N.J.

R. Everett Fisher, Jr., '71, is employed by Arlington County (Va.) Department of Real Estate Assessments. Everett resides in Arlington, Va.

Charlene Lee Good, '71, received a M.Ed. degree in elementary education from Shippensburg State College in Pennsylvania on December 10, 1976.

Martha Eller LaChapelle, '72, has returned to Virginia and is teaching 3rd grade in Franklin County, Virginia, and residing in Roanoke.

Peter Nazarko, '72, is an associate planner with the Electric Boat Division of General Dynamics in Saratoga, New York. He and his wife, Charlotte, live in Clifton Park.

George G. McDearman, III, '73, received his Master of Divinity degree from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, Texas, on December 17, 1976.

Brian Montague, '73, recently finished a contract with the Maryland Dept. of Natural Resources as an instructor of environmental sciences and a coordinator for the 1976 Youth Conservation Corps Program. He has begun a new job with the National Aquarium in Washington, D. C. He is residing in Annapolis, Maryland.

Morris A. Phibbs, '73, has received his masters degree in music history and has begun the doctoral program in musicology at West Virginia University. He has been awarded a teaching assistantship with teaching duties in music appreciation and undergraduate theory and history. While completing his masters, he was employed as music translator for the West Virginia State Archives and worked full-time for the University Academic Advising Center.

David A. Touart, '73, is attending Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky. He is also a student assistant in a small church in the suburbs.

Robert Life, '74, enrolled at Bethany Theological Seminary in Oak Brook, Illinois, in the fall of 1976.

Rhonda Rhoda, '74, recently accepted the position of nutrition consultant with the Dairy Council of Upper Chesapeake Bay. She is living in Edgewood, Maryland.

Sylvia Ballou, '75, is in her second year of teaching in a one-hall school with 12 students in grades 1-8. She is living in Peking, Peoples Republic of China.

Matilda A. Clark, '75, graduated from the Medical College of Va. School of Pharmacy in May, 1976. She is now practicing pharmacy after being licensed in July at John Randolph Hospital in Hopewell, Va.

Scott Duffey, '75, enrolled at Bethany Theological Seminary in Oak Brook, Illinois, in the fall of 1976.

Sandy Fyke, '75, is living in Harrisonburg and teaching English at Luray High School.

George Hedrick, '75, is a residential construction foreman for Dome Designs of Bethesda, Maryland. The company builds custom geodesic domes for business and residential sales. George is residing in Rockville, Md.

David Longenecker, '75, enrolled at Bethany Theological Seminary in Oak Brook, Illinois, in the fall of 1976.

Barb Pitman, '75, is working as an administrative assistant with the Indo-Chinese Cooperative Education Job Development Program in Arlington. She works with refugees from Viet Nam, Cambodia and Laos, helping them become self-sufficient through English language training, vocational training, and job placement assistance . . . "a job I truly enjoy."

Dave Radcliff, '75, is in his 2nd year at Bethany Theological Seminary at Oak Brook, Illinois.

Maryetta Randolph, '75, was accompanist for the Showtimers 1976 production of Gilbert & Sullivan's operetta, *Iolanthe*, and also presented her music students in recital on October 22 at Roanoke College.

Margaret Wolfe, '75, enrolled at Bethany Theological Seminary in Oak Brook, Illinois, in the fall of 1976.

David C. Huffman, '76, is a graduate student in economics at the University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Va.

Curtis Nolley, '76, is director of the Staunton Choral Society. He is a member of the Staunton Church of the Brethren and he teaches music at North River and Verona Elementary Schools.

FUTURE EAGLES

Merle L. Jenkins, '51, and Carol Jenkins, a son, Matthew Harold, born October 26, 1976. The Jenkins have another son, Merle, Jr., 3 ½ years old. Merle and family reside in Jacksonville, Fla. where he is secretary-treasurer of Commercial Chemical Corporation and vice president of Guarantee Carpet Cleaning & Dye Co.

David Arthur Layman, '61, and Anne Moncrief Layman, a daughter, Laura Jane, born May 9, 1976. David is a physician and Anne is a registered nurse. They adopted Tammy Nguyen Layman, age 12, on June 25, 1975. She is from Da Nang, Viet Nam. The Laymans are living in Chester, Virginia.

Dr. Harold E. Huffman, '62, and **Barbara Winters Huffman**, '62, a daughter, Davene, born April 1, 1976. The Huffmans are living in Hinton, Va.

Ray Fike, '63, and **Jane Sutherland Fike**, '64, a son, John William, born November 23, 1976. The Fikes have two other children, David, age 5, and Beth, age 3. Ray is the executive director of the United Methodist Children's Home of Virginia in Richmond.

Carson C. Good, '64, and Carolyn Smith Good, a daughter, Christa Carole, born November 13, 1976.

Virgil R. Klepper, '65, and Mary Rossbach, a daughter, Christina Marie, born January 23, 1977. Virgil teaches biology in Queen Anne's County. The Kleppers are living in Stevensville, Maryland.

Dr. Robert H. Patterson, '65, and **Sue Miller Patterson**, '65, a daughter, Rebecca Ruth, born July 29, 1976. The Pattersons reside with their new daughter in McLean, Va.

Stephen F. May, '66, and **Jeannette F. May**, a daughter, Francesca Feddon, born November 9, 1976. Stephen is a counselor at Thomas Harrison Jr. High School. Stephen, Jeannette, Francesca and 8-year-old brother, Nathan, reside in Broadway, Va.

Kingsley and **Holly Hendry Baehr**, '69, a son, Benjamin Conrad, born November 26, 1976. Kingsley is a pastor/teacher in South Plainfield, N.J.

Abraham J. Evans, '69, and Ruth F. Evans, a son, Aaron Benjamin, January 10, 1976. Abraham is the assistant to dean for Student Financial Aid/Veterans Affairs at Potomac State College and resides with his family in New Creek, West Va.

Gregory F. Smith, '69, and Mary Ann Smith, a son, Brian Joseph, born January 18, 1977. The Smiths reside in Roaring Spring, Pa.

Daniel P. Brady, '70, and Mary Ellen Brady, a daughter, Megan, born December 9, 1976. They are living in Wayne, New Jersey. Daniel is a corporate manager for Henkel, Inc.

Chamberlain F. Cotton, '70, and **Carol Etherington Cotton**, '71, a son, Jeremy Shane, born December 30, 1976. The Cottons have two other children, Stacy, 6 yrs. and Chamberlain, 3 ½ years. Residing in Locust Grove, Va., Chamberlain is an auditor for the U. S. Customs.

John and **Elaine Murray Graham**, '70, a daughter, Sarah Elizabeth, born November 7, 1976. John is an instructor at the Department of Defense Photo Sciences School. John, Elaine, and Sarah reside in Aurora, Colorado.

Robert Hart and **Ramona Powell Hart**, '70, a son, Jeremy David, born September 26, 1976. Robert is a fire control mechanic for the Norfolk Naval Shipyard. The Harts reside in Chesapeake, Va.

Ronald E. Hottle and **Karol Long Hottle**, '70, a son, Nathan Edward, born July 4, 1976. Nathan, his parents, and Christopher (2 ½) reside in Port Republic, Va.

Lynn Latimer Rabens, '70, and John Rabens, a son, Guy Henry, born October 6, 1976. The Rabens reside in Fayetteville, N.C.

Gregory C. Klauk, '71, and Patricia Klauk, a daughter, Erin Elizabeth, born February 17, 1977. She joins Gregory Michael, born November 26, 1975. Greg is a real estate appraiser with Grant Research and Appraisal of North Tonawanda, N.Y.

Rick E. Fawley, '71, and **Janean Sullivan Fawley**, '76, a daughter, Brenna Lynn Fawley, born November 24, 1976. The Fawleys live in Churchville, Va.

Donald and **Joan Gaither LaClair**, '71, a son, Scott Edward, born August 31, 1976. Donald, Joan, and Scott are residing in Mt. Airy, Md.



Is this the first set of triplets among BC alumni? They are Jenni, Greg, and Beth Corbin, children of Jerry Corbin, '66, and his wife, Norma. They were born January 17, 1977. The Corbins have a 3-year-old son at home. They live in Staunton where he teaches at Woodrow Wilson High School.

Robert and Linda Morgan Payne, '71, a daughter, Angela Renee, born November 19, 1976. The Paynes reside in Horseheads, N.Y.

Steven Wong, '71, and Gretta Krepps Wong, '72, a daughter, Heather, born in the fall of 1976. The Wongs are living in Bristol, Conn.

Joseph Treacy O'Hanlan, Jr., '75, and Rhonda A. O'Hanlan, a son, Ryan Joseph, born June 14, 1975. The O'Hanlans live in Richmond, Va., where he is a special agent employed by the U. S. Secret Service.

Randy Shlpe, '71, and Doris Shipe, a daughter, Lara, September 16, 1976. Randy is librarian, Nelson County School, and president of Nelson County Education Association. The Shipes have two other children, Melinda, and Theron and reside in Afton, Va.

Wayne and Vicky Webster Chapman, '74, a son, Paul David, born May 18, 1976. Wayne, Vicky, and Paul live in Staunton, Va.

Barbara Fansler Gardner, '76, and Everette L. Gardner, a daughter, Sally Leota, born January 15, 1977. They also have another daughter, Gail Grace, who is one year old. The Gardners live in Mt. Solon, Va., where Everette is a dairy farmer.

WEDDING BELLS

Robert L. Nida, '65, and Bev M. Perdue, '68, June 5, 1976, in Salisbury, Md. Bob is manager of Labor and Employee Relations with Allied Chemical of Hopewell, Va. The couple resides in Richmond, Va.

Margaret E. Gray, '72, and Richard James Kellogg, August 7, 1976, in Norfolk, Va. Rich is a motion picture editor for the Navy and is presently studying cinema at USC in Los Angeles. They will be living in Hawthorne, California, just south of Los Angeles for one year while Rich attends school.

Dolphine Phillips, '73, and Brian D. Mullen, November 27, 1976, at the Harrisonburg Baptist Church. Dolphine received a graduate degree from Madison College. Brian is also a graduate of Madison. The couple resides in Lynchburg.

Joy S. Barnett, '75, and J. Taylor Boone, October 10, 1976, at the Bridgewater Church of the Brethren. Joy completed her masters degree in deaf education at Western Maryland College. Taylor is a manager with Koons Toyota and AMC Jeep in Annapolis, Md.

James Reuben Holsinger, Jr., '75, and Susan Kay Burkett, October 26, 1976, at the Reformation Lutheran Church, New Market, Va. James is employed as sanitarian for Page County and Susan is a kindergarten teacher at Ashby-Lee Elementary School at Mt. Jackson, Va. The Holsingers reside at Luray.

Diane Sackett, '75, and Rodney Fike, '76, June 26, 1976, at the Westminster Church of the Brethren in Westminster, Maryland. Diane is a first grade teacher at Ladd Elementary School in Augusta County and Rodney is teaching 7th grade at John C. Myers Intermediate School in Rockingham County. The Fikes are residing in Staunton, Va.

David Didawick, '76, and Linda Santonastaso, '76, were married December 11, 1976, in Millington, N.J. They are living in Staunton, Va.

Rowena Carol Fike, '76, and Arthur Douglas Myers, November 20, 1976, at Midland Church of the Brethren. Rowena is a substitute teacher, and Arthur is employed by his father in home construction. The Myers are living near New Hope, Va.

Edward Lee Lovell, '76, and Janice S. Felix, January 1, 1977, at the Bridgewater Baptist Church. Edward is employed by Arlington House, Charlottesville, Va. Janice is a junior at Madison College, majoring in social work.

John Jeffrey Lunsford, '76, and Carol R. Walton, May 22, 1976, at Thalia United Methodist Church in Va. Beach, Va. Jeff is a history and social studies teacher at Indian River Jr. High School in Chesapeake, Va. They are living in Va. Beach, Va.

Jim Thornton, '76, and Kathy Kitchen, February 12, 1977, at the Franklin Baptist Church in Franklin, Va. They're living in Newport News, where Jim is a chemist for VEPCO.

IN MEMORIAM

Adam Homer Miller, '07, Bridgewater, Va., Jan. 23, 1977. He had been pastor and custodian of the Church of the Brethren and also the recorder for the town of Bridgewater. Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Amy Michael of Churchville; Mrs. Belva Hill, and Mrs. Ethel Fawley, both of Bridgewater; four sons, Robert A. Miller of Springfield; Edwin L. Miller of Bridgewater, Homer T. Miller of Harrisonburg, and Raymond E. Miller of Orlando, Fla.; 19 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Leonard Thomas, '16, Bridgewater, Va., January 13, 1977. He was a car dealer, a member of the Bridgewater Church of the Brethren, a member of the Bridgewater Rotary Club, and United Commercial Travelers. Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Galen Flory of Timberville and Mrs. Nelson T. Huffman of Bridgewater.

Howard Talmadge Borden, '20, Oct. 7, 1976, in McAlester, Oklahoma. Mr. Borden left Bridgewater College to teach school at Jones Military Academy in Hartshorne, Oklahoma. There he began to take a deep interest in the affairs of the American Indian nations in Oklahoma and elsewhere and joined the U. S. Department of Interior to help the Indian people. He spent almost half a century in that work. In a tribute to Mr. Borden, a fellow employee with the Bureau said, "As a newcomer in the Indian Service, I had been told of your gentleness, your devotion to duty, your genuine interest in the Indian people . . . You knew the Choctaw people as did but few. You looked upon the Choctaw people as individuals, giving respect where warranted, compassion where needed, and friendship to all with an open mind, a warm heart and a quick intelligence." Others described him as a man of great compassion and kind understanding.

Mr. Borden was born in New Hope, Va. Survivors include his wife, Loura, a son, Howard Gene of Norman, Oklahoma; a daughter, Mrs. Ruth Jacques, Hartsdale, N.Y.; two stepdaughters, Mrs. Yvonne Clayton, Scottsdale, Arizona, Mrs. Sue Forrest, Montclair, Cal.; a brother Ben of Crozet, Va.; two sisters, Mrs. Len Norford, Verona, Va., and Mrs. Mary Cline, Waynesboro, Va. and eight grandchildren.

Ina Miller Huffman, '21, Bridgewater, Va., December 10, 1976. She was a member of the Bridgewater Church of the Brethren. Surviving are seven children, Mrs. Virginia Cicero of New York; Elmer Lewis Huffman, Jr., of Minoa, New York; Charles R. Huffman of Sherman, Texas; Dale L. Huffman of Auburn, Alabama; Mrs. Ruth E. Hubbell of Frederick, Md.; Joseph W. Huffman of Houston, Texas, and Mrs. Eleanor K. Fiegl of Silver Creek, New York; a sister, Mrs. Naomi E. West of Bridgewater; a brother, Walter Thomas Miller of Arlington and 18 grandchildren.

Marlon J. Craun, '22, Bridgewater, Va., February 26, 1977. In his early life, Mr. Craun taught school at Centerville. He was pastor of the Greenmount Church of the Brethren, Mt. Pleasant Church of the Brethren, and had formerly served in Highland County. He was a member of the College Street Church of the Brethren and had lived in the Retirement Village at Bridgewater Home for the past five years. He is survived by his wife, Laura Evers; two sons, Everett E. of West Palm Beach, Fla., and Charles D. Craun of Harrisonburg, Va.; one sister, Mrs. Mae Cline of Bridgewater; one brother, C. Frank Craun of Centerville; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Mary Elizabeth Garber Funkhouser, '23, Bridgewater, Va., December 21, 1976. Surviving are two children, Mrs. Joyce Wasdell of Durham, N.C. and Sam F. Funkhouser of Somerset; two sisters, Mrs. Lillian Kennedy of Harrisonburg and Mrs. Renetta Sanger of Lebanon, Pa.; a brother, Carl L. Garber of Harrisonburg; five grandchildren, and a great-grandchild.

Martha Cline Pence, '25, Weyers Cave, Va., December 11, 1976. Mrs. Pence taught school in Va. and West Va. She was a member of Pleasant Valley Church of the Brethren. Surviving are her husband, Myrvin L. Pence; two children, Mrs. Helen Pence Saxon of Buckingham and William Edward Pence of Manassas; six grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. H. D. Thompson of Atlanta; Mrs. A. M. Funkhouser of McGaheysville and Mrs. Ralph Myers of Roanoke; and a brother, David A. Cline, Jr. of Laurel, Del.

Norman F. Ford, '36, Frederick County, Md., October 27, 1976.

Denver Warner, '36, Riverton, West Va., February 13, 1977. He had been a farmer since retiring from teaching. Surviving are four sisters, Mona and Myrtle Warner, both of Riverton; Mrs. Dwight Harper of Blue Grass, Va. and Mrs. Quentin Propst of Brandywine, and five brothers, Burke, Golden and Keith Warner, all of Riverton, Dale Warner of Harrisonburg, and March Warner of Annapolis, Md.

Theron Joseph Liskey, '42, Bridgewater, Va., October 30, 1976. He was a retired school teacher and a member of the College Street Church of the Brethren. He is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Pauline Alley of Verona, Mrs. Ethel Ringgold of Bridgewater, and Mrs. Lucy Perry of Middletown; and three brothers, Wilmer P., DeRay and Cleo L. Liskey, all of Harrisonburg, Va.

John Earl Jones, '63, Staunton, Va., November 29, 1976. He had been a teacher at Verona Elementary School for 10 years. Mr. Jones was shot and killed in a hunting accident in Highland County. He is survived by his wife, Ruth Trowbridge; a son, Randall John Jones, at home; a sister, Mrs. Betty LaBonte of Staunton; and a brother, Paul Samuel Jones, Jr. of Nashville, Tennessee.

Mollie Edith Glick, February 7, 1977, Bridgewater, Va. Miss Mollie, as she was affectionately known, was dietitian at Bridgewater College for some 20 years before retiring in 1955. Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Vernie Lambert of Bridgewater and Miss Mattie V. Glick of Bridgewater Home, and a number of nieces and nephews, including Mrs. Helen Glick Percy, whom she reared.



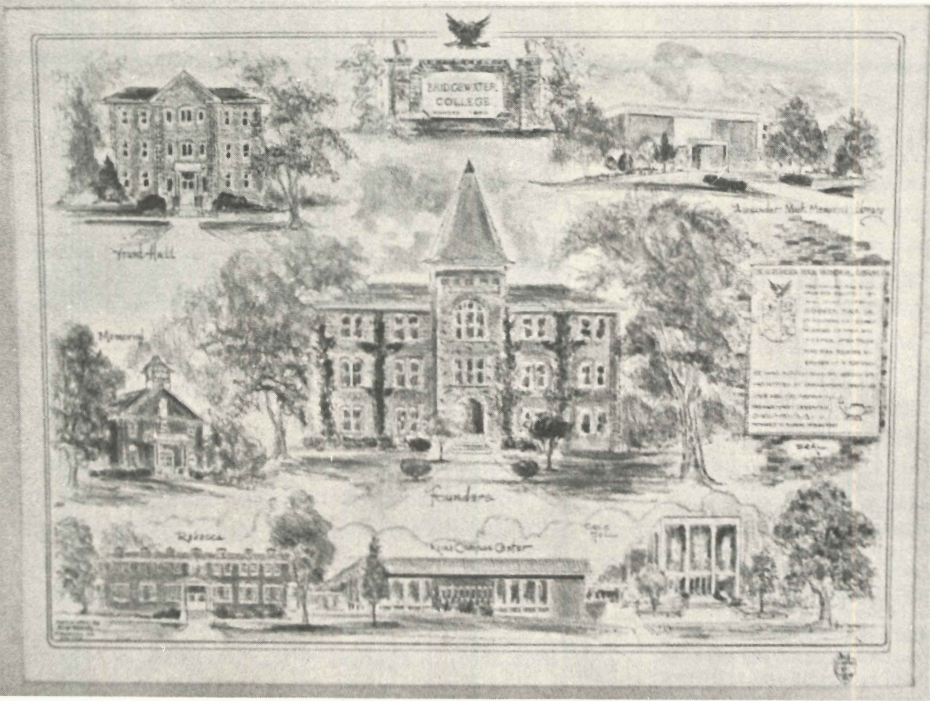
The Rev. Robert L. Strickler, '36, February 10, 1976, in Westernport, Md. Mr. Strickler was pastor of the Westernport Church of the Brethren and had been a member of the Bridgewater College Board of Trustees since 1972. He recently completed a term on the General Brotherhood Board where his assignment included service on the General Services Commission. He took an active part in establishing a chaplaincy program at the Memorial Hospital in Cumberland and gave much of his time to it.

Following his graduation from Bridgewater he attended Biblical Seminary in New York City and then received a B.D. from Bethany Seminary. He held pastorates in Peters Creek, Va.; Crab Orchard, Brandonville, and Purgittsville, W. Va.; Myersville, Gaithersburg, and Westernport, Md. He enjoyed working with young people and nearly every summer took part in a camp program.

Surviving are his wife, the former Florida Dawn Trump, '35; a daughter, Mrs. Marilyn Reed of Buckhannon, W. Va.; three sons, Dwayne Lee Strickler, Mt. Airy, Md., Dr. Charles E. Strickler, Bridgewater, and Dr. Robert D. Strickler of Germany; two brothers, Dr. Frank and Stanley Strickler, both of Roanoke, and four grandchildren.

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SPRING CHAPTER MEETINGS

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| February 25 | Southern Pennsylvania Chapter met in Codorus Church of the Brethren. Program was a musical one by students: Rebecca Long, Carolyn Godfrey, Lynn Mercer, Mike Ross and Mike Bowman. |
| March 20 | Tennessee Chapter at the Johnson City Church of the Brethren — the music program was presented by the Bridgewater College Chorale. |
| March 26 | Carroll County (Maryland) Chapter will meet at the Brethren Service Center in New Windsor. The program will be led by the College Chorale with the public invited. |
| April 20 | Bridgewater-Dayton Chapter will meet in the Kline Campus Center. Final program plans are pending. |
| May 5 | Franklin and Henry County Chapter will meet in the West Central 4-H Recreational Center at Smith Mountain Lake. The college stage band will play. |
| May 13 | Roanoke Chapter will meet at Lakeview Lodge. President Geisert will speak. |